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C O N F I D E N T I A L ISLAMABAD 0143

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OREP (MCGOVERN, GEORGE)

SUBJECT: MCGOVERN VISIT

1. EMBASSY NEW DELHI SHOULD BE AWARE PRESS COVERAGE OF MCGOVERN'S MEETINGS WITH GOP OFFICIALS, INCLUDING PRIME MINISTER, HAVE HIGHLIGHTED TALKS ON PAK DEFENSIVE CONCERNS AND INDIA'S NUCLEAR CAPABILITIES. PAK TIMES TODAY FRONT-PAGE STORY HEADLINE READS "NUCLEAR INDIA UPSET POWER BALANCE" AND QUOTE MCGOVERN AS SAYING QUOTE INDIA'S ENTRY INTO THE NUCLEAR CLUB HAD DISTURBED THE BALANCE OF POWER IN THE SUB-CONTINENT QUOTE. VERNACULAR PRESS ALSO HIGHLIGHTS THIS.

2. SENATOR IS MILDLY CONCERNED ABOUT POSSIBLE REACTION TO STORIES IN INDIA AND IS AWARE HE MAY FACE SOMEWHAT STIFF QUESTIONING FROM INDIAN PRESS ON HIS ARRIVAL AND DURING VISIT.

3. GENERAL ASSESSMENT OF MCGOVERN VISIT, WHICH WAS SUCCESS FROM BOTH OUR AND GOP VIEWPOINT, BEING SENT SEPTEL TO ALL ADDRESSEES.

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